

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-2201

April 27, 2022

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for “Brutus Road reconstruction project from U.S.31 to the Cheboygan County Line for 2.47 miles in Maple River Township, Emmet County” in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is Emmet County Road Commission, located at 2265 E. Hathaway Road, Harbor Springs, MI 49740.

The funding would be used to reconstruct and widen Brutus Road, east of U.S.31 as the main access to Maple Bay on Burt Lake. Maple Bay sees hundreds of people travelling daily with their vehicles, boats and campers to Maple Bay State Park. The widening of Brutus Road would also provide bicycle access to a paved trail in Cheboygan County that traverses several miles along the Burt Lake area. This project would be a very good expenditure of public funds that would benefit thousands in Northern Michigan.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Jack Bergman
Member of Congress

